

# KENTUCKY

## STATEWIDE TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (STIP) For FY 2015-2018

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### ADMINISTRATIVE MODIFICATION #2014.008

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#### I. Proposed Action:

Modify the KYTC's FY 2015-2018 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to include the Ashland Area MPO's Amendment #2 to the FY 2013-2017 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP).

Location: Ashland MPO Area

#### Scope of Activity:

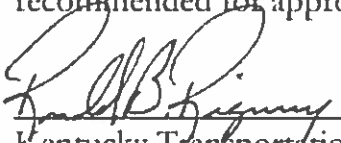
See the attachments for more detail information.

#### II. Additional Remarks:

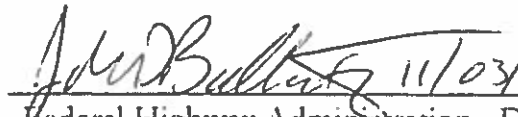
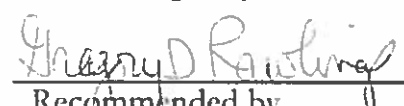
This modification to the STIP will become part of the 2014 STIP end of Federal Fiscal Year 2015 "fiscal constraint" recalculations.

#### III. Administrative Modification Approval:

Amendment and Modification  
recommended for approval:

 10/27/14  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Kentucky Transportation Cabinet Date  
Ronald B. Rigney, Director  
Division of Program Management

Approval of Amendment  
and Modification:

 11/03/2014  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Federal Highway Administration Date  
 11/3/2014  
Recommended by \_\_\_\_\_ Date

## RESOLUTION

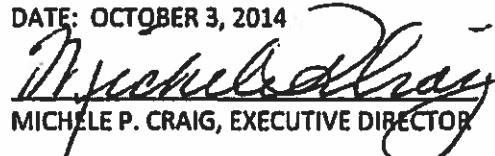
Amendment #2 to the Ashland Area 2013-2017 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and  
Amendment #2 to the Ashland Area 2040 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP)

- WHEREAS, KYOVA Interstate Planning Commission has been designated as the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) by the Governors of West Virginia, Kentucky and Ohio for the Huntington, WV-KY-OH Urbanized Area acting through the West Virginia Division of Highways (WVDOH), the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet (KYTC), the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT) and locally elected officials in the KYOVA region; and
- WHEREAS, the Ashland Area MPO adopted a 2013-2017 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and 2040 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP); and
- WHEREAS, The Kentucky Transportation Cabinet has requested revisions to the 2013-2017 TIP and 2040 MTP to reflect the current Kentucky Highway Plan; and
- WHEREAS, The project information was available for a 15-day public review as outlined in the Ashland Area Participation Plan and received no comments; and
- WHEREAS, It has been determined that all proposed project amendments to the 2013-2017 TIP and 2040 MTP have met the Air Quality Conformity Analysis requirement.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that KYOVA Interstate Planning Commission adopts the attached project list as Amendment #2 to the 2013-2017 Ashland Area TIP and Amendment #2 to the Ashland Area 2040 MTP.

  
NANCY CARTMILL, VICE-CHAIRMAN

DATE: OCTOBER 3, 2014

  
MICHELE P. CRAIG, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

DATE: OCTOBER 3, 2014

**Ashland Area MPO/Huntington, WV-KY-OH Urbanized Area (UZA)  
FY 2013-2017 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Amendment #2 and  
FY 2040 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP) Amendment #2**

**Boyd County**

**Project 1: 09-993.00: US-60 @ Highland Ave., Construct left turn lanes, install traffic signal & realign intersection.**

*Action: Update schedule.*

Phase C: Year 2013 to 2020      Funding: \$420,000 (HES) – no change      \$0 – State/Other

Conformity Status: Exempt – 93.126 (Safety/Realignment)

Open to Traffic: 2021 (Non-6YP)

**Project 2: 09-5011.00 – Landslide repair on KY-538 from 0.8 miles southeast Jct. KY-3594, east to Jct. US-23**

*Action: Remove – project not funded in 2014-2016 State Highway Plan*

Phase D: Year 2010 to N/A      Funding: \$0 – Federal      \$60,000 to \$0 – State/Other

Phase R: Year 2011 to N/A      Funding: \$0 – Federal      \$120,000 to \$0 – State/Other

Phase U: Year 2011 to N/A      Funding: \$0 – Federal      \$60,000 to \$0 – State/Other

Phase C: Year 2012 to N/A      Funding: \$0 – Federal      \$240,000 to \$0 – State/Other

Conformity Status: N/A

Open to Traffic: N/A

**Greenup County**

**Project 3: 09-1094.00: Replace bridge over Pond Run on Williams Avenue (CS-4041) in Raceland and 250' NW of Pond Run Road (CS-4001)**

*Action: New project – Funding Category BRZ for all phases*

Phase D: Year 2020      Funding: \$350,000 – Federal      \$0 – State/Other

Conformity Status: Exempt – 93.126 (Reconstruct bridge-no additional lanes) / Safety

Open to Traffic: 2021 (Non-6YP)



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Dear Mr. Couch:

The Kentucky Division Office of the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) has reviewed the following documents:

**Amendment 2 to the 2013-2017 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and  
Amendment 2 to the 2040 Metropolitan Transportation Plan (MTP) for the  
KYOVA Interstate Planning Commission  
(MPO approval documented on the October 3, 2014 resolution)**

and found that these amendments **included only exempt projects**. These amendments will not change the regional emissions analysis that was used to support the most recent conformity determination made on July 22, 2013. **Therefore a new air quality conformity determination is not required** under the Transportation Conformity Rule. If you have any questions, please contact me at (502) 223-6729.

Sincerely yours,

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Transportation Specialist

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